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CONFIRMATION NOTICE

TO: John C.

STAT FROM: [redacted]

SUBJECT: Installation of Alwac III-E in [redacted] STAT

On 21 November 1961 I sent the following TWX from Los Angeles [redacted] STAT
STAT [redacted] in Washington, D. C. :

" Re your advice that BOD is now July 1962, now taking steps to accommodate this plan particularly as it affects the 490 and the Alwac.

Impossible to put the 490 on the air in less than a year, therefore, we will have to move the Alwac to [redacted] STAT We are now planning to occupy one of the rooms in that area separate and isolated from the 490 area...not clear on authority to make decision to move and install the Alwac. Will you check this out."

Subsequently, I was advised by Phil that this authority was granted by Chick. Phil also asked me to confirm this decision to you.

By this memo, therefore, please be advised that sometime prior to July 1962, as governed in part by the general contractor's construction schedule, the Alwac
STAT will be moved to [redacted] It will be installed in a room adjacent to the area that will be occupied by the Univac 490. By keeping the two areas physically separated we hope to keep the Alwac operating while installers put up the 490 in December 1962.

Sometime prior to July 1962, for a period of a month or so, the present Alwac will not be operating. I understand that you plan to use the [redacted] Alwac during STAT that period. As soon as it is known, we will advise you of the actual move date for the Alwac to give you as much lead time as possible to transfer programs
STAT [redacted] load these programs, and to make sure that the [redacted] machine is oper- STAT ating properly.

Please let me know if there is anything in your plans for the 490, the Alwac or
STAT [redacted] that will negate or modify any of the above.

Declass Review by NGA.

STAT [redacted]

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